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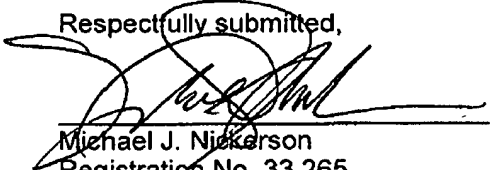
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STATUS INQUIRY

Sir:

The Applicant filed a response to an office action on October 7, 2006 for the above-identified patent application. To date, the Applicant has not received any further notice regarding the above-identified patent application. Thus, the Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner, who is assigned to the above-identified patent application, inform the Applicant of the status of the above-identified patent application.

Respectfully submitted,


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